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Hongsong, 23rd July, 1903.

THE question of the opening of Wiju, on the Corean side of the Yalu River-mouth, promises to develop in importance, if the news telegraphed by REUTER's Yokohama correspondent be correct. According to him, the British representative at Seoul has now intervened and asked for the opening of the port to trade, while M. PAYLOFF, the Russian Minister, at an audience with the Emperor opposed the suggestion. Up to advocate for Russia as ever was Li Hung-chang. now the only country to ask for the opening ! has been Japan, through her representative, Mr. HAYASHI. Seoul despatches in some of the leading vernacular papers in Tokyo at the beginning of the present month reported that the Coreau Minister of Foreign Affairs, in reply to Mr. HAYASHI'S application. suggested a conference of foreign representatives to consider the matter, to which the Japanese Minister replied that no such conference was necessary and that he must press his suggestion. With reference to this, the Japan Mail trusts that Japan will adhere resolutely to this line of policy, as it seems to our contemporary to be the only direction in which a peaceful solution of present difficulties may be sought. However, there can be no doubt that the support given by Britain to Japan's request will be welcomed in the latter country, and we do not see on what grounds Russia can honestly counsel Corea to refuse. That M PAVLOFF should give such advice is, of

article to which we allude above points! out, is shown in various articles in the Russian Press, which also justify the despatch of troops thither (for it is impossible to doubt that there are Russian soldiers in some numbers on the eastern bank of the Yalu) by alleging that Japan too has sent large numbers of armed men to protect her lumber business, and that she has troops in all the ports of Corea. "That is simply untrue," says the Mail. "Japan, we believe, has ad-"hered conscientiously to the terms of the ball." KOMURA-WARBER Memorandum of 1896, which accurately fixes the number and "distribution of her armed force in Corea "No action taken by her in recent years can furnish a valid precedent for the "despatch of Russiau troops to the Yalu Valley. The most resolute of Russia's partisans must admit that she seems to "be disturbing the peace of the Orient to "a degree not justified by any reasonable "doctrine of imperial expansion." This. opinion must, we fear, be shared by every Per Dozon sensible man, and would doubtless be been leaving the Philippines for many weeks recognised as true by that lover of peace ... \$20.00 Tsar Nicholas II if he were allowed to see his country's affairs save through the eyes of his astute ministers, who do not

> We are requested to inform the jurors in attendance at the Criminal Sessions that their presence will not be required at the Court till half-post ten o'clock this forenoon.

at all share his sentiments.

Only two cases of plague were reported during the 24 hours ended at moon yesterday. Both cases, which were Chinese, proved fatal. One body was picked up in the street.

A main in Wellington Street burst yesterday morning, and the usual crowd of people with nothing to do gathered round to watch the fountain of water that rose thirty feet into the nir. They seemed disappointed when the water was shut off.

The Hongkong Jockey Club has decided to accept a tender from the Shanghai Horse Bazaar Co., Ld., for the supply of China ponies for the 1904 Race Meeting. We understand that the prices of the ponies will be higher

This, says the Shanghai Union, is how a shroff gave a guarantee :- " Dear Sir,-Because you last Moth Lend My Three dollars that chit So I'am lost Please kindly made out duplicate chit for me is every much thanks Suppose any body picked up ask you to pay and I hold the respon sible Your truly."

As a means of retrenching expenses, says the Shanghai Times, Viceroy Wei Kunng-tao has | well-revembered father, the late Viceroy Tsen ordered the Polytechnic Institute in Nanking Yü-ying." to be amalgamated with the High School, retaining those students only who have obtained a B.A. or M.A. degree at the ordinary Government examinations in Chinese literature, the rest to be sent about their business.

The Universal Gazette is informed that Viceroy Yuan of Chili ordered from abroad two handsome motor carriages some time ago for the purpose of presenting them to the Throne. These carriages have now arrived at. Tientsin . and will be sent to Peking after the Viceroy has examined them. The Jih of Tientsin states that four motor cars have arrived, which are destined for the Palace use. .

In reply to our correspondents" Historicus" we must point out that he appears to have mixed his figures. We did not state yesterday, as he alleges, that Pius IX reigned from 1775 to 1805; but that Pius VI did so, which is supported by Whitaker's Almanac and other authorities. Pius IX, we quite agree with "Historicus," wore the tiara from 1846 to 1878 and he therefore reigned longer than either Pius VI or Leo XIII.

Dr. Morrison, writing to the Times on the 22nd ult., says:-Prince Ching adopts a tone unusual with him, a weak and irresolute man, and as plainly as can be intimates that China neither seeks nor requires any assistance or interference from Japan or England. He has, in fact, been handled with remarkable dexterity by the astate M. Lessar, and now is as warm an

H.M. cruiser Spartiate, Capt. A. G. Tate arrived at Malia on the 20th ult. from this station, homeward bound. The Spartiate and Europa, on their return to England from the Far East, are to be retained in commission with their care and maintenance parties. After the necessary repairs have been effected at Ports. mouth, they will proceed a Desouport to be completed with full complement for the manceuvres. On the conclusion of the manoenvres there ships will pay off at Ports-

mouth. A telegram dated New York, 21st June, says -The Canard Steamship Company have notified the International Mercantile Marine Company of their intention to withdraw on 1st July from the agreement as to rates and sailing-days. It is contended that the White Star line broke the compact by sending out ships | Several tried to dance with him, but none could twice a week instead of once a week accord- rival his pace; the most successful were wouldn. ing to the terms agreed between the combination | Although delayed by a snowstorm, he did it in and the Cunard Company. Mr. Lee, the agent inine days, and on the way accepted a challenge here of the White Star Company, denies that or two, each time coming off best, except when [Tytam] Waterworks site, which would have prison. One of his victims was a defective, who appealing than that which is accorded to a the agreement has been violated. He says he a Chelmsford maiden of fourteen danced ill been beside the question at issue, as we said in had formerly been a robber chief, but had been cannot see what is to be gained by a rate. he was "ready to lie down." On his return to our hading article yesterday. As they referred taken into the Government service—a common course, well in keeping with his country, cutting campaign, which, it is predicted, will be wrote an account of it, which ends with a to the Law Courts, they were of course germane practise in China. The circumstances were not the outcome of the Conard's withdrawal. The warning to those with whom he had note to the subject. It may be pointed out that the enquired into by the magistrate, and this the Tange "fort is the same soludate of sailings on let July.

Censers, among other things for riding in a four-wheeled carriage!

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Under the following headlines the Shanghat Times describes the alleged smuggling of arms into China:-" Firearms and ammunition masquerade as merchandise. - Succulent to natoes and beans found to be death-dealing powder and

According to recent Japanese papers, the belief is current in Japan that the Port Arthur Conference was at first in favour of a peaceful solution, but the news of a Cabinet crisis at T kyo gave the war party their opportunity. and a final decision was accordingly postponed.

The Manila Coblenews of the 18th inst. says :- To-day the official rate of United States currency in Mexicans changes from 2.45 to 2.38. An executive order to this effect has been i-sued. The steady climb of silver has brought about this rise. Mexican dollars have About 10,000,000 pesos have gone so far. There is little Mexican money here now. The silver has been going and is going to Singapore.

Dr. Dominador Gomez, founder of the Daniecrutic Labour Union of the Philippines, has had a new complaint filed against him. It was the purpose of the presecution to include in the information acts committed up to July 15. In order that there might be no question the original one was dismissed and a new one filed. The new information charges the defen. dant with misappropriating and diverting the funds of a mutual benefit assocation.

By permission of Major Radeliffe and officers, the band of the 33rd Burma Infantry will play the following programme at the Kowleen Hotel, during dinner, this evening (weather permit-

March Ord Hume Overture ... "Die Jerfahrt um's Glück," ... Suppé Selection ... "An Arti-t's Model," Sidney Jones Song "The Song you sang to me," Molloy Selection ... "The Giri from Kay's," Caryll Waltz..... "Jafelrunde," Gung". Romance ... "Ecouter Moi,"..... Funke "God Save the King."

The N.-C Daily News says of the intention of H.E. the Viceroy of Cauton to use force upon the Kwangsi irreconcilables and kindness and help to those who are willing to accept the Imperial bounty, "It is believed that Viceroy Tach's schome will be quite successful and that he will be able to restore peace and order to the province within a couple of months. But there is a good deal of consternation in Kwangai and Yunnan lest Viceroy Teen should be tempted to adopt the pacificatory methods of his

Mr. V. L. Solomon, Member of the House of Representatives, has announced his intention to introduce a bill to alter the Federal Constitution so that Sydney may be declared the Federal capital and thus obviate the expense of creating a new Federal centre. Tomat, which the Commission has selected (as announced by Reuter) is a town in a rich agricultural district of New South Wales, about 100 miles WSW, of Goulbourn. It lies on the Tumnt river, a tributary of the Murrumbidgee, and has a present population of about 1,500.

Manila papers publish the following telegram dated New York, July 17 :- The crisis between Russia and England, Japan, and the United States over the Manchurian question, is near a sattlement. There is to be an open-door in Manchuria. That much is certain. The products of all nations are to enter on the same footing. This insures the United States the continued sale for its manufactured products, which it was feared would be stopped by Russia's actions. Japan, too, will now have a chance to do business with all others as equals. A better feeling over the Manchurian matter is growing.

The new Chinese Imperial Mint which is to be constructed in Tientsin is to be built near the East bank of the Poiho river, and is to be viry large affair, according to the N.-C. Daily Neps. On the 8th inst., Ch'en Pih, Governor of Peking, and P'u Hsing. Vice-President of the Board of Revenue, who have been appointed. Assistant Directors of the new Mint, can e down from Peking to taken look at the proposed site in order to report the matter to the Throne. If nothing prevents, the new Imperial Mint is expected to be in working order the beginning of the winter of 1904.

The attempt to walk from London to Brighton on a globe, which a young American woman has been attempting, recalls the feat of William Kemp, the Dan Leno of the last years of Elizabeth, who belonged to company as Shakespeare, created" Dogberry. He danced London to Nerwich which is twice as far us from London to Brighton, accompanied by servant, au umpire, and a man with a taborard pipe. Crowds hindered his start on February 11, 1600, and many met him at every placepublish their names.

Prince Su has been impeached by one of the TELEGRAMS.

"DAILY PRESS" SERVICE.

CHINESE AFFAIRS.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

SHANGHAI, 21st July, 11.28 p.m.

THE SHANGHAI SEDITION TRIAL At the Supao sedition trial in the Mixed Court to-day the case was adjourned on the receipt of orders from the Diplomatic Body, who apparently contemplate allowing the rendition of the accused to the Chinese officials without the necessary preliminary trial in the Mixed Court.

GENERAL NEWS.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

SHANGHAI, 21st July, 11.28 p.m.

ANOTHER SHANGHAI RESIDENTS SUICIDE.

Mr. Hector Sampson committed suicide this evening.

[The above telegram appeared in our first Extra yesterday morning, having arrived too late for insertion in yesterday's paper.

The late Mr. Hector Sampson was formerly well known here, where he was born and where he received his education at the Government Central School, now Queen's College, some twenty-five or more years ago. He was an assistant for Meesrs, Lane, Crawford and Co. for some time after leaving school, and then proceeded to the Harbour Office, where his father was employed. Removing to Shanghai he has had a very varied career as assistant in a mercantile firm, broker, insurance canvasser, etc. He was a keen and enthusiastic aportaman. No motive can b assigned for his suicide, as far as we know. H leaves a wife, and other members of his family are, we believe, in Shanghai.-ED. D.P.

REUTER'S SERVICE.

THE AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL CAPITAL.

LONDON, 20th July, The report of the Australian Federated Capital Site Commission, places the town of Tumut in New South Wales, first.

GREAT BRITAIN, RUSSIA, AND

COREA.

LONDON, 20th July. Reuter's agency at Yokohama wires that the British representative has requested that Wiju be opened to foreign trade. M. Pavloff at an audience with the Emperor of Cores opposed the opening of the port.

BRITISH CONSOLS.

LONDON, 10th July.

Mr. Ritchie speaking at the Mansion House repudiated the charge that he had insufficiently safeguarded the Sinking Fund, and declared that in four years the Fund would reach the sum of £9,000,000 which would be unprecedented: he declared that British Consols were still the best and greatest security in the world

A CORRECTION.

LONDON, 20th July.

In telegram No. 2,118, dated Hongkong, 17th July, under the heading of "Great Britain and Japan" substitute " Persia" for Japan. The telegram referred to stated that a Commercial Treaty between Great Britain and Japan was notified.]

ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

Lady Blake has kindly consented to lay the foundation-stone of the new Hospital building of the Alice Memorial Maternity Hespital (adjoining the Nethersole Hospital in Bonham Road) to-morrow afternoon at five o'clock,

WATER POLO.

At the V.R.C. enclosure yesterday afternoon a match in connection with the present polo competition was played between teams representing the Victoria Recreation Club and the Hougkong Volunteer Corps. The Volunteers showed much superior form and won by seven

THE NEW LAW COURTS.

We regret to find that by an error in reporting we were led to interpret H. E. the Governor's remarks on the site of the new Law Courts in in Russia's "sphere of influence." This Cunard Company will announce a new wagers that if they did not pay up he would acoustics of the Council Chamber are not all mistake is likely to cost him dear, as he will that can be desired.

THE NEW POST OFFICE.

THE DESIGN.

Now that the plans of the new Post Office been definitely accepted by the Colonial Government, a description of the building will be opportune and perhaps not uninteresting. Its design may per haps be best described as a free treatment of the English Renaissance style. The elevation is imposing, and an attempt has been made to break up the monotony incidental to the constant repetition of verandahs by slightly, projecting some features. The facing is of Amoy bricks

instead of the usual plaster, and the dressing, where practicable, of stone. There are five floors: basement, ground, first and second floors, with an intermediate one between the first and second. The basement is provided with general store-rooms in connecti n with certain of the various departments to be accommodated in the building, and the ground floor, which has an area of 42,000 square feet, is devoted to the

A private lane at the west side of the building.

running between Connaught Road and Des Voeux Road, will be utilised for the despatching and receiving of mails, as here the work can be done without obstructing traffic or being itself obstructed; a glass covering over the lane will ensure protection from the weather. In this lane there is to be provided a separate entrance for Chinese, whose needs, further, will be looked after at a separate counter inside. The entrance for Europeans will be at the corner of Des Voeux Road and Pedder Street. Another distinct

requirements of the Post Office.

advantage in this part of the building is that the Postmester's room will be within easy access of the working department and the public ball and the public themselves, or those members of it desiring to exercise the privilege, will be able to gain admittance to the Postmaster's office

without going through the working department The first floor is taken up by two departments—those of the Rigistrar-General and the Treasurer-and these will be entirely distinct and self-contained. Above this is an intermediate floor for the accommodation of the Post Office messengers, who will be within easy call and yet shut off completely from the rest of the building. The greater part of the second floor is taken up with the offices of the Sanitary Department, and adequate provision is also made for the Audit and Education Departments. On this floor, too, are the quarters of the chief Post Office clerks, con sisting of four rooms and a bath-room completely self-contained. In every floor of the building, which will be lighted throughout with electricity, is separate lavatory accommodation for Europeans and Chinese, and the heating when necessary of those rooms

finished state should atone to some extent for the weary wait that preceded its construction, The design for the new building is by Messrs. Denison, Ram and Gibbs.

to be occupied by Europeans is provided for

by open fire-places. Altogether, the building

will be a most commodious one, and in its

CANTON.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

Canton, 22nd July.

ARREST OF POUR OFFICIALS. The Viceroy of the Liang Kwang, backed up as he is at Court; is evidently determined to carry out his work of reform thoroughly. The latest report in Canton is of a somewhat startling nature. At the end of last week the Treasurer-who is Acting Governor-received four despatch-boxes from Kwangsi. These boxes were not only scaled with the vice-regal seal, but carefully nailed up, and it is said that despatches are only made secure in this way when they are of the utmost importance. bear from an official that these despatches gave the Treasurer authority to arrest four officials, who are to be kept in durance autil the Viceroy's return, when they will be executed. The names of these officials have not transpired, but they are probably not of high rank. It is not the first time that Shum has resorted to extreme measures. When he was Governor of Shansi

he caused five officials to be beneaded. THE WONG SHA RECLAMATION AGAIN. Investigation is being made into the complaints against the Nam Hoi ex-magistrate, who bears a very evil reputation. A special deputy has been appointed to enquire into five of the most serious charges. One of these is the affair of the Wong Sha reclamation, of which a good deal has been heard. The Nam Hoi is said to have accepted an enormous bribe from the contractors, who in turn squeezed the villagers in the neighbourhood. The latter have sent in a petition against the m-gistrate, who will, rumour has it, have to pay a very heavy fine Petitions are pouring in from parties who suffered under the late regime, and who now hope to have redress.

visits to the various districts, and receiving before him, and investigates the case in person. magistrate of Kwai Yun, who in a few months Land Court. beheaded 5,000 men. Many of these are said to have been innocent, and Chua has been

probably be executed.

THE EWAI YON MAGISTRATE.

In Kwangsi, Soum's detectives are paying

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE NEW TERRITORIES LAND COURT AMENDMENT BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS."

Hongkong, 23nd July. Sin,-It is most carneatly to be hoped that the provisions of the above Bill, which was read for a first and second time at the Council Meeting on Monday, will receive most careful consideration at the hands of the Government and the public, because, if passed into law in its present shape, it seems likely, as I shall presently show, to lead to unexpected and undesirable consequences.

All the material portions of the Bill are contained in Clause 2, which runs as follows :---"The Chief Justice may at any time upon good cause shown grant to the Crown leave to appeal to the Full Court of the Supreme Court from any decision of the Land Court heretofore made or hereafter to be made, on any claim in relation to land in the . New Territories, whether the Crown did or did not appear before the said Land Court on the bearing of such claim; and may, pending such appeal, stay all proceedings arising directly or indirectly out of any decision on any such claim so appealed from."

Nobody will be disposed to dispute the abstract justice of giving to the Crown a right of appeal from the decisions of the Lund Court, but when it is proposed to make such a right retrespective, I submit that the greatest caution ought to be exercised in order to ensure that injustice is not inflicted upon parties who possess vested rights as bona-fide purchasers

for value or mortgagees. Now I believe that I am correct in stating that many contracts for the sale of land in the New Territories were entered into upon the terms that the sale should be carried through and the purchase money paid over if the claim to the land were allowed by the Land Court. Accordingly there must, I imagine, be many cases in which, in consequence of the Land Court having decided in favour of a claim, the purchase has been completed and the purchase money has been paid over and the purchaser has either expended money upon the property in the belief that his title to it was incontestable, or else has resold the property to a third party, both parties to such sale believing, as they had the fullest right to do, that the title to the property was absolutely unimpeachable.

The present Bill, however, if passed in its present shape, will render the title of every successful chaimant or his assignee inscoure, by -giving the Crown a retrospective right of appeal n every single case right back to the first decision of the Land Court, which was delivered over two years ago.

Moreover, the present Bill does not even stop there, for it confers upon the Crown a right of appeal which extends into the dim and distant future, inagmuch as it exacts that the Chief Justice may at any time grant the Crown leave to appeal; and I maintain that such an unrestricted right of appeal is (1) unfair, and (2) prejudicial to the interests of the Crown itself as well as to the interests o

successful claimants. In support of the proposition that such a right of appeal, unlimited as to time, is unfair. I would point out that by Section 16 of the Land Court Ordinance 1909 any claimant who is dissatisfied with the decision of the Land Court has only fourteen days within which to

In support of the proposition that such s right of appeal is prejudicial to the interests of the Crown as well as of successful claimants, I would point out that the result of allowing the Crown as unlimited time for appealing would be that no title to land in the New Territories would ever be settled and secure and nobody would be safe in investing in or expending money upon land in the New Territories, because nobody would be certain that the Crown might not in the future appeal from and upset the judgment of the Land Court,

Yet another point in which the proposed Bill is unfair is that it gives the Crown the right to appeal from any decision of the Land Court, whereas by Section 16 of the Land Court Ordinance 1900 no claimant has a right of appeal unless the Land Court certifies that the value of the claim is over \$5,000.

Yet again the Bill is unfair in that it grants leave to the Crown to appeal from any decision of the Land Court, whereas by Section 14 of the Land Court Ordinance 1900, the decision of the Land Court as to the amount of compensation would be final as against a claimant. In conclusion I would beg leave to make the

following suggestions for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor, uswely :-1. That there are such grave risks of unfairly damaging vested interests by making the Crown's proposed right of appeal retrespective that although the Government may not be altogether satisfied with two or three past decisions of the

Land Court, it is praferable, upon the balance complaints. If they report unfavourably on of public convenience and public good, not to an official, the Viceroy summons the latter adopt such an unusual course as to give a retrospective right of appeal which would extend A large number of dismissals and other punish- back for over two years and would render inments are reported. The most notable case secure the title to every single claim to among the lower ranks is that of Chan, the land which has been allowed by the

2. That, as regard appeals from future decisions of the Land Court, no longer period of Monday's Council meeting as remarks on the summoned before the Viceroy and thrown into time can fairly be accorded to the Crown for claimant. In connection with this point I would venture, however, to suggest that the period of fourteen days, which is mentioned in Section 145 of the Land Court Ordinance 1900, is incomveniently short, and I would submit that three months would be a spitable recied to fix upon

might appeal. 3. That, agreeably to the provisions of Section 16 of the Land Court Ordinance 1900, the right of the Crown to appeal, like that of a claimant, be limited to cases in which the Land Court shall certify that the value of the claim is over \$5,000.

4. That in compensation cases under Section 14 of the Land Court Ordinance 1900, th Crown and the claimant ought to be put on an equal footing with one another as to right of appeal, and consequently that, if the words "any decision" are retained in the present Bill, the last sentence of Section 14 of the Ordinance 1900 ought to be repealed.-Yours, etc.,

H. E. POLLOCK. "A SUGGESTION."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS."

Hongkong, 22nd July. SIR,-It was with infinite alarm that I read " Phlegm's" letter in this morning's Pross. Rumours have been ripe of late that some misguided individuals have had the hardihood to express their disapprobation of our indulgence in our quaint pustim of elbowing people-more especially ladies -from the footpaths of Queen's Road? It is even said that we of our craft may at some period be comp fled to be as civil to our employers as are our colleagues in Shanghai,

wherever we please. been supine until this last contemplated live poultry and pigeons. On Christmas Day England and here - following the law of the injustice, but trust that others will make last year witness with two others went to mother country-had given the Court power to themselves heard with no uncertain voice in defendant's house about half-past four o'clock. make necessary amendments such as he asked regard to this manifest curtailment of our They went in rickshas and drove up to the his Lordship to make now. common privileges.-1 ours, etc.,

Wednesday, 22nd July.

BEFORE MR. T. SERCOMBE SMITH (POLICE MAGISTRATE).

POLICE COURT.

ALLEGED HOUSEDREAKERS. His Worship granted a remand in the case of tare charged with three acts of house Europeans in the sitting-room. The Inspector that—a slight variance—that was the kind of now remember. I never stay at home on Governor, the Chief Justice, anybody—would breaking and the theft of clothing and came down and told the three of them to wait. thing meant. But the Attorney General's holidays, but go out bicycling, shooting, or be safe. If the defendant was convicted no jewelry to the total value of about \$250; Street, 19, Cochrane Street, and I, Lee Yuen When the Inspector said, "Man-man" and went | could be done because this count would be added | my bicycle, and I certainly visited the Central | all the circumstances, Mr. Slade submitted in Street West. Against the woman were two away into the next house with the European on the evidence that had been given, but at the Market on my way home at 6.30 p.m. as my concluding a speech which occupied an honr additional charges of the unlawful pessession of in whose company he came down from the roof, same time he could not help thinking in this occurrence-book shows. I know I got home late and ten minutes in delivery, reasonable doubt \$60 worth of clothing and the possession of witness waited until he came back and then case that the Crown knew all the facts and that for dinner that night, but more I cannot must exist in the minds of the jury as to the Superintendent of Police; on the latter she was by the guild," and Lam King Shang handed the indictment they could have done so. He Christmas Lay tells me that she remembers doubt existing it was their duty to discharge fined \$50, or two months, and the ammunition him the envelope containing the \$100. was confiscated.

BEFORE MR. J. H. KEMP (ACTING POLICE MAGISTRATE).

A NUIBANCE.

On the complaint of Sergeant MacSwayed. the coxsivains of five Yaumati ferry-launches were fined \$10 each for disturbing the peace by unnecessarily blowing the whistles of their respective boats whilst lying at the Canton steamer wharf.

THE "SUPAO" SEDITION CASE.

On the 15th inst. the above case, remanded from the lat., came up sgala-before the Mixed and Mr. B. Giles British Assessor. Messrs. appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. F. Ellis, he was or was not cross-examined before the cigars or the whole shop so far as he cared. represented by Mr. H. Browett, for the defence. Mugistrate.

Mr. White-Cooper said that at the previous hearing the case was remanded in order that the charges might be properly formulated. That | question could be asked. If the depositions had now been done and Mr. White-Cooper proceeded to state the charges against Cheng Fan and Ching Chong Yib, the proprietors Attorney-General had referred to the deposiand editors of the Supao; Tsien Seh Tseng. editorial writer, and Chong Ki Fuh, sub-manager | right to demand that they be put in. The

and accountant of the same paper. Mr. White-Cooper said, with regard to Loong will refer to the depositions you will find that The-tze, a further charge of being implicated in a rebellion in Hankow in 1900 was made against him and counsel requested that should be succred in proving a prima-facie case, prisoner might be handed over to the Chinese Authorities at Hankow.

have a separate bearing.

On being questioned with regard to the charges, Chang Ching yih admitted that he was the son of Cheng Fan, the proprietor and editor of the Supac, who was at present in Japan and not yet arrested. During his absence the paper was looked after by four of the prisoners and two others, whom he described as accountante. Tsion Soh Tseng denied having had anything

to do with the paper. Cheng Ping-ling admitted that he wrote and published the pumphlet complained of in the charge.

The case was remanded.

WATER RETURN.

LEVEL AND STORAGE OF WATER IN RESER-VOIES ON THE 1ST JULY. LEVEL

Above overflow. Above overflow. 0 ft. 33 in. Pokfulam 0 ft. v in. . 0 ft. 0 in. Below overflow Wongneicheong 1 ft. 9 in. 0 ft. 5 in.

STORAGE GALLONS. 1903. 387,320,000 Tytam 386,6 0,000 66,000,000 Pokfulam 66,000,000 29,728,000 Wongneicheong 32,895,000 483,048,000

Total 485,495,000 CONSUMPTION OF WATER IN THE CITY OF VICTORIA AND HILL DISTRICT DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE.

Consumption ... 111.331,000 130,139,000 gallons Estimated population Consumption per

19.7 gallons head per day CONSUMPTION OF WATER IN KOWLOON PEN-INSULA DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE. 15,757,000 13,315,000 gallons Consumption ...

Estimated popu-62,450 lation Consumptionper 7.1 gallons head ner day

The Government Analyst reports that the water is of excellent quality.

SUPREME COURT.

Wednesday, 22nd July.

IN CRIMINAL JURISDICTION.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR SIR WILLIAM M GOODMAN (CHIEF JUSTICE).

THE CHARGE AGAINST INSPECTOR NCHWEN-

* VEEDICT, NOT GUILTY.

from Ip Cheeng and two others.

and E. W. Ratter.

door of the house. The street door was They all went upstairs together, he going first. | which he asked to be made was not an amend-He thought Lam King Shang followed next to ment of a variance. him and Wu Kam came last. Witness on going His Lordship said he quite agreed with the have been on duty in the slaughterhouse to call any of the three Europeans who were upstairs pushed open the door and entered the counsel for the defence. He could not admit I have never left until everything was said to be in the defendant's house on Christmas sitting-room, calling out at the same time for the amendment. The amendments contemplated secured, all the butchers cleared out and the Day hat when Ip Cheong and his two friends the Inspector. Two Europeaus were in the by section 55 were not such as that now work finished for the day. With regard to the paid their alleged visit with a bribe room. One of them spoke to them, and they proposed. But supposing a man was charged fourth and fifth charges, alleging bribes given of \$150. If evidence of the kind that walked with him through the room on to the with stealing a pair of trousers and it turned on Christmas afternoon. I can say positively had been brought against the defendant inst., a.m. verandah and thence to the verandah of the next out after the evidence was given that I was not at home that afternoon. I went was to be believed by the jury, then the posihouse. From there he could not see the two a pair of trousers but a coat, or something like out early after tiffin, but where I went I cannot tion of no public servant in the Colony—the Neme of them spoke to the defendant afterward: application now was to add another count taking exercise in some form. On Christmas inspector of markets w. ald be found to discharge

that afternoon. the Central Market, gave correborative evidence. very small matter and he did not think anybody He deposed that Ip Cheong handed defendant would care to take it into a criminal court. As him. He has frequently been to my house to The learned counsel for the defence had stated the four boxes of cigars, and Lam King Shang | the thing was left out he thought it was too

was the money of the guild.

leaving the house, witness went first, Lum King | it all one transaction Shang second, and Ip Cheong third. Lam King Shang was next called and sworn. The Attorney-General said that if his Lord-

that the previous witness was not cross-examined hefora the Magistrate-

Court, Shanghai, Mr. Sun being Magistrate referred to unless they were going to be put in. not relevant evidence. The Attorney-General said that in that case A. S. P. White-Cooper and W. A. C. Pratt he would re-call the witness and ask whether

> Wu Kam was re-called. His Lordship remarked that he thought that were referred to they must be put in.

Mr. Slade argued that therefore as the tions and had stated their contents he had a years. Attorney-General had said, "If your Lordship

so-and-so is in them. His Lordship-I do not propose to refer to the depositions to see whether you are right or

Mr. Slade - I demand, as my friend has made reference to the contents of these depositions, The Assessor replied that that was a distinct that they be put it. He said, "If you will refor case from the one at issue and would therefore to the depositions you will find in them that this man was not cross-examined.

The Attorney-General-I could not say that you would find in the depositions a thing that is not in them.

Mr. Slade-It is stated in the depositions. and my friend knows it and referred to it, that there were no questions asked by me of the

His Lordship-You can ask the witness whether or not he was cross-examined before the Magistrate.

The Attorney-General put the question to Wu Kam, who raplied, " No.

Mr. Slade asked for a ruling on the question of law, as to whether when the contents of a document were referred to, the other side had not a right to demand that it should be put in The Attorney-General said he had proposed to prove a feet and had suggested that his friend should concur in what he knew to be a fact, and by way of explaining to Lordship what he desired to do he said his Lordship referred to the depositions would find that this man had not been

His Lordship remarked that the only evidence he had noted was that the witness said so himself. He did not propose to refer to the depositions.

in and its refusal. The Attorney General stated that as the depositions might be of some edvantage to the defendant and as he was utterly unbiassed in the matter, he intended at the conclusion of the case to put the depositions in, but not on this

Mr Slade-That is entirely satisfactory. His Lordship-It is a very fair thing. have no objection to the depositions going in, Law King Shang, accountant of the Kwong

Wing Ynen poultry-shop, Central Market, corroborated the evidence given by the two previous witnesses. He stated that he handed the envelope containing the \$100 to the Inspector. In Cheony handed him the four bexes of cigars these were of the brand "Christina Perfecto," and there were twenty-five in each box. The money was given to the Inspector because he had been constantly giving the poultry-

dealers trouble. The Attorney-General said that in view of earliest opportunity, I made him return the same the evidence given he had an appli \$150. This he did in the presence of myself cation to make to his Lordship. In the and my wife's amab, and this I duly reported determination of the issues between the in writing to the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon at Water Authority. Crown and the defendant he wished to make 9 a.m. on the 2nd June. No action has been

an amendment, to add to the indictment that I taken in this case so for as I know. About the the defendant received, as well as money. four boxes of eigers. Under the Criminal from the Hon, Dr. Atkinson, also from the Precedure Ordinance (No. 13 of 1899), rection 55. sub-section 1, if there appeared to be a variance between the truth and the charge of the indictment or any count, the Court might amend the indictment. The defence could not be prejudiced by the addition that the defendant received by way of a bribe these cigars because all through the depositions, which his Lordship was entitled to read under the Ordinance, each witness after speaking of the present of \$100 The trial was resumed of Robert Gardener on Christmas Day added that four Loxes of McEwen on a charge of having on 15th July. | ciga s were also presented to him at the same 1902, being then Inspector of Markets, un- time. Defendant therefore had known from lawfully accepted a bribe of \$10 from one Fung | the first that one of the allegations against him Yung with a view to influence his conduct in the | was that he received a present of four boxes of performance of his duties; on 14th September a cigars as well as the 3100. In framing the bribe of \$17 from Loung Sin; on 24th Documber | indictment the matter of the cigars was left | bribes of \$120 from Chan Wong and 83.) from | unincluded and the charge was only of receiving Lai Kun; and on 25th December a bribe of \$100 | money. He had intended to use the receipt of the eigars in the way of corroborative statement The Attorney-General Hon. Sir Henry S. by the witnesses that they had given him the Berkeley (instructed by Mr. F. B. L. Bowley, \$100, but he could see from the attitude of his Crown Melicitor) conducted the presecution, and learned friend that technical objections might counsel for the defence was Mr. M. W. Slade, be made to the jury considering this receipt of barrister-at-law (instructed by Mr. C. E. H. the cigars unless the fact appeared as a charge Beavis of Messrs. Wilkinson & Grist, solicitor.). in the indetment. In the interests of the The special jury was as tollows: - Messre. determination of the issues involved he would H. Pinckney. A. O'D. Courdin, A. J. Raymond, ask his Lordship to exercise the power given W. H. Potts, D. W. Craddock, F. H. Arjanes, him under the Ordinance to allow an amendment in the indictment to the effect that defendant In Chaong was again put into the box. received four boxes of cigars as well as the \$100 Cross-examined by Mr. Slade, he said the on Christmas Day by way of a bribe. Supposdefendant had lought poultry from him for ing the amendment was not made now there a number of years past. Witness had been to would be nothing to provent the Crown from Now, horribile dictu. your correspondent has defendant's hone three times—the third time subseque tly charging the defendant with having Police Court that I made an entry in my had sent to the Court dare not give the andacity to suggest the alienation of our in connection with the guild business. He had received four bexes of cigars, and the whole rights as citizens of Hongkong (or somewhere not been there nearly every month to collect proceedings, whatever the result might be in else) by suggesting an ordinance against spitting | his bills. He had not been on the roof of the | this case, would be gone all over again. It was house where the defendant kept his poultry and in order to prevent unnecessary trials or In common with many of my friends I have pigeons: he did not know that defendant kept repetition of trials that the Legislature in

> Mr. Slade opposed this absolutely unpreceopen. Witness did not ring the door-bell, dented, and he ventured to say, improper The two others were behind him and he did application, made at the last moment, at the not know whether or not they rung the bell. very close of the evidence. This amendment

Re-examined by the Attorney-General— aft r the evidence had been given. The thing afternoon I am almost certain I went out on the duties of his office fearlessly. In view of the following report: if they wished to include the boxes of cigars in remember; my wife who was at home all day trustworthiness of the witnesses, and with that thought that probably the reason they did not several Chinese called on hristmas Day and the prismer at the bar. came to boxes of cigars, because a man might be

gave him the envelope containing the \$100, late to put it in now. He took it that the He saw the \$100 put into the envelope. It application was made because there had been so much telk about these eigars. Cross-examined-In going downstairs when The Attorney-General said he wished to make

His Lordship-I do not think you ought to press it, Mr. Attorney-General. The Attorney-General-Very well, my Lord. ship referred to the depositions he would find | He went on to say that he proposed to call the persons in the shop in which these cigars was Lought in the purchase to the Mr. Slade objected to the depositions being | Court; his friend apparently held that that was |

Mr. Slade said he was not going to dispute the cigars. They might have bought 10 or 100

The cigar-shop people were not called.

Chief Detective-Inspector Hanson give evidence with regard to the plan of the defendant's

Cross-examined-Defendant left the Hongkong police with discharge marks " very good." In the Naval Yard police he served about five

Re-eramined-He was given notice to leave the Naval Yard police

The Attorney-General stated that that wis the case for the Crown.

Mr. Slade said that defendant had a statement to make and it would be desirable that it should be made before he addressed the Court. Before calling for that statement, however, he would put in a book showing the number of prosecutions instituted by the defendant as Inspector of Markets and the amount of fines recovered from 20th April, 1902, to 3rd June, 1903.

From this book it appeared that the last Chiness witness, Lam King Shang, had been fined \$5 on 3rd June for not having a signboard up on his still. Lam King Shang was recalled and admitted

the accuracy of this. The defendant then read the following statement-I came to this Colony in December, 1890. and joined the police on \$59 a month. Now, after various changes in my services under Government, I am drawing over \$230 a month. I was appointed on the permanent staff of the Sanitary Department on the 1st November, 1901, and I took up the duties of Inspector of Markets on May 1st, 1902. immediately made mysalf thoroughly acquainted with the various bye-laws relating to markets and have since my appointment rigorously enforced them whenever I found a breach of those bye-laws. I invariably cautioned the offending parties at least twice, and in the event of that having no effect I took out summonses, which were approved and signed by the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon prior to issue. This does not apply to such sections of the bye-laws as those relating to bawking without licenses, cruelty to animals, etc., where the offenders Mr. Slade asked his Lordship to make a note, were arrested on the spot. The fines inflicted of his application for the depositions to be put | for breaches of the market bye-laws during my period of office have been very heavy, much | the Crown succeeded in proving the charges more so than in any preceding similar period. | against the defendant? The defence had not With regard to accepting bribes I can truth- | made any attempt to prove conspiracy or fully testify that I have never done so in interested motives on the part of the my life. The case brought against the witnesses or that they were perjuring themmaster of the Hop Wo Chan shop, but not | selves. The question come down to thisproceeded with by the Government, shows that | Was the evidence of those witnesses so I do not accept bribes. This man was arrested the same night as I was and charged with that the jury could find the defendan, offering me \$200 on behalf of the poultry guild | guilty of the charges brought against of the Central Market about twelve months ago. him? One of the most usoful customs in He admitted having offered me this money, but determining the quality of evidence was said that I refused to take it, and said he had it still. He told the police where to find the money, and they sent to his shop and found it. I have been offered presents on other occasions and have always refused them, and have so reported to the Coloniel Veterinary Sur, con, especially that on Monday, June 1, 1903, during my absence, a sum of money was handed to my cook-boy. On ascertaining the fact, and at the

THE HONGKONG DAILY PRESS, THURSDAY, JULY 23RD, 1903 end of May this year I got verbal instructions Colonial Veterinary Surgeon, to keep a good look-out for my dead or sick poultry, etc., in the Western and Central Markets, and in terms of my instructions I sent a considerable number of these to the Government Mortnary for examination. In consequence of the majority of these being found plague-infected and acting under the orders of the Colonial Veternary Surgeon, I destroyed all poultry-pens, fittings, etc , in every poultry-shop in the Western Market, making a careful valuation of all articles so destroyed. The shors were all disinfected under my supervision, and the poultry-dealers had to remove to a temporary matshed opposite the Harbour Master's Office. Dead poutry, etc., were also found in several stal's in the ponitry roction, Central Market, and such stalls and stall-holders were similarly dealt with.

This in conjunction with the strict and vigilant

manner in which the bye-laws were suferced by

me has made me unpopular with the stall-

holders in every market. With reference to the

charges made against me the entries in my occurrence-book for the 15th July show that by 750 a.m. I was in the Saiyingpoon Market

ger, and with the help of what I received from my lodgers I have enough to keep myself and

every month. The defendant also read and put in certi ficates of character and service, from among others, Commodore Fowell, of the Naval Yard Mr. May, Captain Superintendent of Police: Mr. Stewart Lockhart, Colonial Secretary; and

my family comfortably and put by a little

Mr. Hastings, Police Magistrate. Mr. Slade remarked that when the master of the Hop Wo Chan shop was charged at the Police Court with offering Inspector McEwen a bribe he admitted it, but said that the Inspector refused to take it. It had been given him by his friends the poultry-dealers of the Central Market to give to the Inspector. When the bribe was refused he took it back to the poultrydealers and asked them to take it back but they said. "No: it is down in the books; give it to him presently." He had not given it to the Inspector, and it was then in his safe marked Money to be given to Inspector McEwen." He told the police where it was to be found and Inspector Hanson went down and got the money. He should have asked Inspector Hanson about this matter when he was in the bex and he now asked that he be re-called.

Chief Inspector Hanson, re-called, stated that he accompatied the master of the Hop Wo Chan shop to his shop after his statement at the Police Court and found the \$200 in the safe as stated ; the envelope in which it was contained was inscribed to the effect that the money was to be given to defendant;

Re-examined by the Attorney-General-It was Mr. Clementi, Assistant Registrar-General, he believed, who gave the police the information that this man had offered a bribe to defendant. It was not Inspector McEwen who gave the information.

Mr. Slade, without calling any witnesses, proceeded to address the jury. On their decision, he said, rested the character and future prospects-practically the whole life-of the defendant. They must not however allow any feeling of pity to influence their verdick The question for them to consider was-Had free from suspicion, so straightforward, in consider the motive of those who gave illence, and if there was even a reasonable To seibility that all the witnesses testifying aga. 1 st a man were actuated by some common motive, then their evidence was greatly weakened. With reference to the witnesses in the present case, the first thing that would strike the jury was that they were everyone of them peulterers, even although poulterers were not the only dealers under the charge of the defendant as Inspector of Markets, and in every case that menoy was alleged to have been given it was not the money of these individuals, but the money of the poultry-guild. Speaking as

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to the motive actuating the bringing of those I therefore must have left my honse that charges against the prisoner. Mr. Slade morning about 7.15 a.m. From the Saiying poon said a strong one was to be found in the part his Market I went to the Western and than to the orders compelled him to play in connection with Central, which would occupy the whole of my the recent outbreak of plague amongst fowls in surrounded by a crowd of friends eager to shake time till I met the Colonial Veterinary the markets. His duties ran counter to the hands with him and congratulate him on the surrounded by a crowd of friends eager to slake Surgeon at his office at 9 a.m. From his office wishes of the poultry-guild, and it was to verdict. I went over to Kowlood. The entries in my their interests to have him removed. The occurrence-book are made up by me every guild was a powerful one, and the jury night. The witness Fung Yung stated in the might well suspect that the witnesses they notebook on the 14th July about his independent evidence in the box. As to that causing an obstruction. I produce my note- evidence, two out of five charges were dislook in which no such entry appears. With proved by entries in the defendant's official regard to file second charge it is absolutely ledger which showed that be was elsewhere at | at Kobe at 2 p.m. on the 21st inst., and left again untrue. It being Sunday I was probably at the time money was alleged to have been given at midnight same day, via Nagasaki, for Shanghome at the time the witness alleges he came. him at his house. As for the other charges, hai, where she is due to arrive at I a.m. on the This witness Leung Sin is one of the men who he would leave their refutation to the 25th inst. came to my bouse and got the \$150 back from straightforward character of the accused and my cook-boy on the morning of the 2nd Jane. to the improbable nature of the evidence. With regard to the third charge, the witness A carefully concocted story had been prepared,

alleges that he came to my house at 4 p.m. and for was it likely that after a lapse of she is due to arrive at 6 p.m. on the 25th inst. gave me the money. At that time, as my six months three men could remember such Kennedytown slaughterbouse and did not | walked up and down stairs on a particular day? | 21st inst., p.m., and is expected here on the leave there until after 5 p.m. When I Mr. Slade, referred to the failure of the Crown

By the Court-He did speak to defendant do so was that it was cutting it rather fine if it asked for the Inspector, and that she sent them The Attorney-General in his address to the away telling them that I was not at home. I jury said that bribery if it was an easy charge Wn Kam of the Tai Cheung poultry shop in given a box of cigars by a friend and it was a have dealt with the witness Ip Cheong for to bring was also a difficult charge to prove. showery. several years past, buying poultry from This was not a case to be lightly passed over. collect bills or bring me things I have bought. that the prosecution was a presecution by the He knows the arrangements of the house well, poultry-guilds, who wanted him out of the way. and that I keep poultry and pigeons on the That was not the case. The prosscution was roof, for be has been up there himself. On the result of information laid by the Registrar-Christmas Day last I am sure I had no guests | General. Further he would point out that to tiffin. I would certainly remember it if I according to the prosecution-book produced had; I tiffined quietly at home and went out by the defence there were only nice proshortly afterwards and did not return until secutions, four of which were dismissed dinner time. My character ever since I came to | against Central Market poultry-dealers during the Colony, and before, has always been good, 1902; and for a whole year from June of last I have received from the heads of departments secutions at all. During 1902 there was Bros and others, which I produce. I am a married one poultry-stall prosecution in the Western man with a wife and child en to look after and Market. It was a significant fact also that that a good pension to look forward to, and I would prosecution was on 11th September, 1902, and a hardly be such a fool as to risk my whole few days afterwards a meeting of the guild was career by taking bribes, as these witnesses | heldand a series of bribes was offered him. On the against me allege. My wife is a good mans- 24th December, defendant stated, the occurrencebook showed that he was on duty at the slaughter-house when the two Chinamen said they called at his house between 4 and 5 o'clock and gave him two bribes amounting to \$150. Well, his house was only five minutes' walk from the slaughter-house and it was not improbable that he should be in his house when they called, With regard to the bribe of \$100 alleged to have been received by the defendant in his house on Christmas Day the story told by the three witnesses, was straightforward and he did not think the jury could fail to accept it ; as trustworthy.

His Lordship in summing up, said it was right and fair that they should start with this, that they were dealing with the case prima facie of a man of respectability and good character. who would not have been Inspector of Markets if they had not thought he was a trustworthy, good, and competent man. It was always unpleasant to deal with a number of Chinese where you had to keep them in order, because rightly or wrongly, people were apt to think, among a certain class of Chinese, that an official thought he should get a good many perquisites in addition to his sometimes small salary. They were not there, however, to discuss the merality or immorality of bribery, because it was laid down in a special Ordinance what the meaning of bribery was. It was a thousand pities that, when the mana er of the Hop Wo Chan shop went to him about a year ago and offered him a bribe of \$200, defendant did not seize hold of him and give him into enstedy redhanded with the \$200 in his possession. Remarking that the case had been exceptionally ably conducted on behalf both of the Crown and of the defence, his Lordship went on to review the evidence. In conclusion he said there was very little law about the case. Commensense would tell them that if the Inspector of Markets received \$150 on the 24th December and \$100 on the following day from the poutrydeniers of the markets, it was pretty clear that these sums were offered him with a view to influence his conduct as Inspector. What the jury should give their greatest care to was the question-Did he receive the money or did he not? Were the seven witnesses who swore they paid these bribes perjuring themselves or speaking the truth? verdict.

The jury retired at 5.53 to consider their

The jury returned to the Court at 6.23. The Foreman intimated that the jury unanimously found the defendant not guilty on all

the counts. The announcement of the verdict in defendant's favour was received by the crowded Court with a great outburst of applause which was immediately silenced by the officers of the

His Lordship-That exhibition of feeling is extremely improper. I trust we shall not have a court of justice disgraced in that way by exhibitions of feeling. This is not a theatre but a court of justice. The Attorney-General-It must surely be

those persons who committed this gross The Registrar (Mr. A. Seth)-Usher, can you point out anybody who was clapping? The Usher-They were nearly all clapping.

possible, my Lord, for somebody to identify

The Attorney-General-I think it is a great pity that somebody cannot be punished. His Lordship-Lat the prisoner be discharged.

The Court adjourned till this forenoon as half-past ten o'clock.

As Inspector McEwen left the Court he was

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The C.P.R. steamer Empress of China arrived

The C.P.R. steamer Athenian arrived at Shangbai at noon on the 22ad inst., and left. again at 7 p.m. same day for Ho gkong, where

The N.Y.K. steamer Kinshiu Maru (Bombay occurrence-book shows. I was on duty at the a trivial detail as the order in which they had; Line) left Kobe via Moji for this port on the

The N.Y.K. steamer Tamba Mary (European Line) left Shanghai for this port on the 21st inst., at II p.m., and is expected here to-morrow. The steamer Bornee left Sandakan on the 21st.

inst., p.m., and may be expected here on the 27th

WEATHER REPORT.

The Hongkong Observatory yesterday issued The barometer has fallen slightly over China

The depression in the North has probably approached the NW. part of the Sea of Japan. Pressure is relatively high between the 8.

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not yot offici lly put their names down can now FARNHAM, BOYD & Co., LD., Shanghai. from whom full particulars as to terms and conditions may be obtained. The List with close on SATURDAY, 18T

AUGUST next. By Order, T. F. HOUGH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, 22nd July, 1903.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY

MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 15TH day of AUGUST next, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a Statement Accounts to 30th June, 1903. By Order of the Court of Directors,

J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager. 12093Hongkong, 22nd July, 1903. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from SATUR. DAY, the 1st, to the 15th day of AUGUST next (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors, J. R. M. SMITH,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, 22nd July, 1903, PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from "THE MUTUAL STORES" to Sell by Public Auction,

SATURDAY. A QUANTITY OF SURPLUS STORES. BOTTLED FRUIT, JAMS &c., &c.

their not being absolutely new; the contents, the Tsingtau water on the spot and being fully however, are in good condition. TERMS ... Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT.

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Hongkong Office. Hongkong, 22nd July, 1903

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following Certificates for Shares of this Bank issued in Hongkong in the name of imported article and helps to improve the TROMAS CHILD HAYLLAR No. 75 dated 18th July, 1871 for 2 Shares

Nos. 36438 and 29479; No. 3871 dated 30th Sept. 1871 for 4 Shares Nos. 3982/85;

Nos. 21955/58; have been LOST, and should the same not be produced before the 3rd day of August next, to the Bankers of the Company, or to the THOMAS CHILD HAYLLAR, and no transaction taking place under the aforesaid and further information may be obtained. Share Certificates, Nos. 75, 8871 and 189, will be recognised by the Cor, oration. J. R. M. SUITH,

Chief Manager, Hongkong, 3rd July, 1903.

INTIMATION

PROSPECTUS.

THE ANGLO-GERMAN BREWERY CO., LD.

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CAPITAL: MEXICAN DOLLARS 400,000. DIVIDED INTO 4,000 SHARES OF \$100 EACH;

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The Subscription List will be closed as soon as the 50.1 Shares, now offered for Subscription, have been applied for, but not later than MONDAY, the 31st AUGUST, A.C.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS: Members who were not present and who have JOHN PRENTICE, Esq., of Messrs. S. C. do so by communicating with the undersigned, ALEX. MCLEOD, Esq., of Mesers. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Shanghai. C. W. WRIGHTSON, Esq., of Mesars. FEABON, DANIEL & Co., Shanghai. MAX SLEVOGT, Esq., of Messrs. SLEVOGT & Co., Shanghai.

> GENERAL AGENTS: MESSES, SLEVOGT & CO., Shanghai.

& Co., Chefoo.

BANKERS: DEUTSCH-ASIATISCHE BANK.

LEGAL ADVISERS: MESSRS. STOKES & PLATT. OBJECTS.

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WORKING EXPENSES AND

PROSPECTS. After carefully going into the question of working expanses the promoters feel confident in stating that, assuming a turn-out of 13,000 Hectoliters only, the resulting profit will allow of a dividend of at least 15 per cent, on the capital of the Company. A comparison with the figures of the two largest Japanese Companies will be of interest. JAPAN BREWERY YESISO

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OUTPU .. A good demand is anticipated from the military and naval garrison at Tsingtau, which numbers several thousand men. This number is not likely to be decreased in the near future. In addition the ships of the Imperial German navy which frequently touch at Tsingtau may reasonably be expected to become regular enstomers of the Company. Among the more important markets Shanghai, Hongkong, Port Arthur, Tientsin and Ohefoo may be mentioned as offering a wide and remunerative field for

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Hongkong, 22nd July, 1903.

AUCTIONS

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THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

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will be CLOSED from the 22nd to the 28th INSTANT (both days inclusive). By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary.

Hongkong, 14th July, 1903. THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

A N INTERIM DIVIDEND of One Dollar and a Half per Share for six months ending 30th June, 1903, will be payable on the 28th INSTANT, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22ud to the 28th INSTANT (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Board of Directors, A SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Ld., General Agents for the West Point Building Co., Limited. Hongkong, 14th July, 1903.

THE HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

IN accordance with the Provisions of No. 104 of the Articles of Association the General Managers have this day declared an INTERIM DIVIDEND for the half-year ended 30th June, 1903, of Four Dollars per

DIVIDEND WARRANTS may be obtained on application at the Office of the Company on and after TUESDAY, 28TH JULY. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20th to 28th INST. both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, 15th July, 1903.

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

FITHE SEVENTY FOURTH ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be. held at the OFFICE of the Company, No. 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central, on TUESDAY, the 4TH AUGUST, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, confirming the appointment of Directors, and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st of JULY to the 4th AUGUST, inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors. J. GOOSMANN,

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 15th July, 1908. WILLIAM POWELL, LIMITED.

THE SECOND ORDINARY YEARLY the above-named Company will he hald at the Blacowestchensk Khokand COMPANY'S PREMISES, No. 28, Queen's Bodaibo Kiachta Road Central, on WEDNESDAY, the 5TH Boukhara AUGUST, 1903, at Noon, to receive the Chefoo Report and Statement of Accounts for the year Dalny ending 30th June, 1903, electing Directors, | Hailar and declaring a Dividend. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will b. CLOSED from the 31sT JULY to the 5TH AUGUST, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors. R. G. HECKFORD,

Mounger. Hongkong, 21st July, 1903.

PURE FRESH WATER

FERHE HONGKONG STEAM WATER BOAT CO., LD., is prepared to supply ANY QUANTITY of PURE FRESH WATER to the Shipping, both for Deck and Boilers. Call Flag W.

J. W. KEW, 1st Floor, 37, Cannaught Road Hougkong, 13th June, 1903.

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CALIFORNIAN MUSK MELONS

AMERICAN WATER MELONS. HIGH-CLASS VEGETABLES IN SEASON;

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MMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECKER OF THE

Hongkong, 1st July, 1903.

12TH NOVEMBER, 1896. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.. Shanghai Tia. 5,000,000 PAID-UP CAPITAL

HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAL.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES. Canton Hankew Peking Chefoo: Chinkiang Penang Singapore Chungking Tientein.

The Bank purchases and receives for collection Bills of Exchange drawn on the above places, and sells Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers payable at its Branches and Agencies.

HONGKONG BRANCH. Advances made on approved securities. Bills Discounted. INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS At 2% per annum on Current Account daily balances. 3°/ per annum on Fixed Deposits for 3 months. E. W. RUTTER

Hongkorg, 1st January, 1901.

Manager.

BANKS.

FITHE BANK OF TAIWAN (FORMOSA), LIMITED. (INCORPORATED BY SPECIAL IMPERIAL CHARTER.) AUTHORISED CAPITALYen 5,000,000 PAID-UP CAPITAL , 2,500,000

HRAD OFFICE: TAIPER, FORMOSA. Hondrong Office: 4, Queen's ROAD (facing Duddell Street). Branches:-Amoy. Kobb. Tainan.

Hongkong-Interest Allowed. On current account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance. [2026] On fixed deposits for 12 months 5% per Annum S. SHIGENAGA, Agent

> THTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION.

Hongkong, 2nd February, 1903.

HEAD OFFICE-NEW YORK.

FISCAL AGENTS FOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IN CHINA AND THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Capital pard in, Gold \$4,000,000 Surplus (Reserve) Gold \$4,000,000 Gold \$8,000,000 £1,640,000 Capital & Surplus authorised, Gold \$10,000,000

LONDON BANKERS: THE NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND, LIMITED.

THE UNION OF LONDON AND SMITH'S

BANK, LIMITED. The Corporation bays and sells Bills of Exchange, lesues Letters of Credit and carries on every description of Banking and Exchange business. Money received on Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent per annum on the daily balances, and on Fixed Deposit us

follows: For 12 months, 41% per annum. HONGKONG BRANCH 20. DES VŒUX ROAD CENTRAL. CHARLES R. SCOTT.

PUSSO-CHINESE PANK.

Hougkong, 23rd May, 1903.

Manager.

ORGANISED UNDER IMPERIAL DECREE OF 10TH DECEMBER, 1895.

CAPITAL contributed by CHINESE! GOVERNMENT ... 5,000,000 Kouping Taels. (EQUIVALENT TO£2,150,000 Stg.)

SPECIAL RESERVES£130,000

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Hongkong, 14th July, 1903.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 185. HEAD OFFICE-LONDON. RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE-

EESTEVE TUT 1.£725,000 INTEREST allowed on Current Account at the rate of 2°/, per annum on the Daily balances. On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4 per cent.

T. P. COCHRANE. Acting Manager. Hongkong, 18th May, 1903.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED. AUTHORISED CAPITAL£1,500,000 SUBSCRIEED 1,125,000

RESERVE FUND 60,000 BANKERS: LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED. INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2°/, per annum on the Daily balance

Hongkong, "3rd Lay 1. 3.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS :--EVAN ORMISTÓN, Acting Manager.

THE TOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK LIMITED,

BANKS

Евтавывней 1880.

Capital Subscribed ... Yen 24,000,000 CAPITAL PAID-UP CAPITAL UNCALLED RESERVE FUND.....

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HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance. On fixed deposits for 12 months 5% per annum

FIRE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA

Hongkong, 11th March, 1963

TARO HODSUMI

Manager.

LIMITED. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL.....£1,000,000

PAID-UF CAPITAL 2 324,371 HEAD OFFICE-HONGRONG.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. CHAN KIT SHAN, Esq. | J. S. Harston, Esq. CHOW TUNG SHANG, Esq. J. LAUTS, Esq. Chief Manager

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR. Interest for 12 Months Fixed.....5"/.

Hongkong, 12th May, 1903.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK. FATHE Business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG ANDSHANG-HAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application. INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 36 PER CENT. por annum.

SHANGHAJ BANK to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum. For the Hongkong and Shangha! BANKING CORPORATION. J. R. M. SMITH.

Chief Manager

—315,500,000

Depositors may transfer at their option

balances of \$100 or more to the Hongkong and

Hongkong, 1st May, 1902. TYONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANK-ING CORPORATION.

RESERVE FUND-STERLING RESERVE...\$10,000,000 SILVER RESERVE ... 5,500,000

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROP'TORS. \$10,000,000 COURT OF DIRECTORS. A. J. RAYMOND, Esq.—Chairman. H. E. Tomerns, Esq.—Doputy Chairman. Hon. C. W. Dickson, E. Shellim, Esq. E. Goetz, Esq. Hon. R. Shewan G. H. Medhurst, Esq. N. A. Siebs, Esq. C. Michelan, Esq. H. W. Slade, Esq. H. Schubart, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER: Hongkong-J. R. M. SMITH.

MANAGER: Shanghai—H. M. BEVIS.

BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED. HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Account at the rate of Two per Cent. per Annum on the daily balance. ON FIXED DEPOSITS. For 3 months, 21 per cent per Annum. For 6 months, 31 per cent, per Annum.

LONDON BANKERS-LONDON AND COUNTY

For 12 months, 4 per cent. per Annum. J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager. Hongkong, 14th May, 1903.

EUTSCH-ASIATISCHE BANK. PAID-UP CAPITALSh. Tack 5,000,000 HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS BERLIN.

Berlin Calcutta Hankow Tsingtau (Kiantschou) Tientein LONDON BANKERS: Messrs. N. M. ROTHSCHILD & SONS, THE UNION OF LONDON AND SMITHS

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DEUTSCHE BANK (BERLIN), LONDON AGENCY DIRECTION DEE DISCONTO GESELLSCHAFT. INTEREST allowed on Current Account DEPOSITS received on terms which may be learned on application. Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

H. FIGGE, Manager. Hongkong, 4th October, 1902.

> NEW YORK (AMERICAN BANK).

JUARANTY TRUST COMPANY OF

Езтавывиви 1864. PAID-UP CAPITALU.S. \$2,000,000 Gold SUBPLUS AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS 5,180,000

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Acting Manager . Hongkong, 1st December, 1902.

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HONGKONG SANITARY BOARD NOTICE.

THE Board having found it necessary to institute summary proceedings against people using Chalk and Water in lieu of Lime. wash. Owners of Houses are hereby informed that Chalkand Watercannot be accepted in lieu el-ewhere as Merchants have, on the 9th day of of Limewash, but that there is no objection to

By Order, G. A. WOODCOCK, Secretary.

Sanitary Board Rooms, 11th July, 1903.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

NFORMATION has been received from the Military Authorities that GUN PRACTICE will take place from Belchers' Batteries on TUESDAY, the 28rm JULY, 1903.

By Command, F. H. MAY. Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office.

Hongkong, 20th July, 1903.

WINCHESTER CARABINES 12 SHOT REPEATING. CALIBRE 44.

of China as well as Officers of Coast Steamers undersigned. ALSO CARTRIDGES IN STOCK.

LUTGENS, EINSTMANN & CO.,

14, firs Vory Real.

THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF TRADE MARKS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that IN YEE WO carrying on business at Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong and MAY, 1903, applied for the registration in colouring matter being added to the Limewash. Hongkong in the Register of TRADE MAR KS of the following TRADE MARKS:-

1. The representation of two lobsters—under the said representation are the Chinese Characters · 怡和洋行 meaning YEE WO FIRM.

2. The representation of a dragon chasing a fish and the fish is depicted entering new Service King. into an arch over which are the Chinese Characters 裏門

3. The representation of two boys-between them is depicted a flower basket containing various kinds of fruits and near the bise of the sait basket are the Chinese Characters 怡和洋行 meaning YEE WO FIRM.

in the name of YEE WO who claim to be the proprietors thereof. The TEADE MARK No. I has been used by the applicants since the year 1990 and the TRADE MARKS No. 2 and 3 have been used by the applicants since the year 1961 all in respect of the following goods:

MATCHES IN CLASS 47. Pacsimiles of the TRADE MARIS can be seen Excellent arm for Travellers in the interior at the Office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong and also at the Office of the

Dated the 22nd day of May, 1903. JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER. Solicitors for the Applicants, 8. Des Voux Road Central. Hongkong.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

VIA SHANGESI.

A RUMOUR DENIED Berlin, 14th July. The news published 'y the Standard that the Russian Minister in Peking, M. Lessar, has ordered Rus ian subjects in Port Arthur, Deluy, Newchwang, and Cores to leave the country is untrus .- O. Lloyd. THE STATUS OF SILVER.

Berlin, 14th July, discuss the silver question will have conferences in Berlin, London, and Amsterdam .- O. Lloyd. RIGH CHURCH PROFESSI IN OF LOYALTY. London, 14th July.

A declaration signed by four thousand High Church corgy has been presented to the Church into N.-C. D. N.

TYIA AUSTRALIA

London, 20th June.

MOROCCAN TERRITORY ANNEXED BY FRANCE.

London, 22nd June. commanded by M. Jacques Lebaudy has a nexed the coast and hinterland of Northwest Africa be ween Cape Bojador and Cape Juby. The territory was formerly supposed to belong to

"ALL-BRITISH" CABLES. London, 23nd June. A memorial from the chambers of commerce Mr. Austen Chamberlain, the Postmaster-General, advocating " all-British " cables round the world. Mr. Austen Chamberlain, in replying to the memorial, indicated that it was unnecessary for the State at present to undertake any further large cable extensions.

PROPOSED PARTITION OF THE CONGO. London, 22nd June In connection with the suggested partition of the Congo Free State between Great Britain. Belgians, the Administrator of the State, has warned those Powers that they must repay him . and his friends £2,000,000, the expense of founding the State, besides assuming other

"ETHERORAMS."

liabilities.

London, 23rd June. A newspaper has been established on the island of Santa Catalian, off the coast of California which will rely upon athergrams from the mainland to convey to it news of the world.

> THE PACIFIC CABLE. London, 23rd June.

Sir Thomas Shanghnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, in referring to the complaint of delay in the transmission of messages by the Pacific route, states that the delay has been caused by trees falling across the land line at Vancouver and interrupting it. In order to obviate such delays, the Canadian Pucific Railway is laying a line across Vancouver.

THE ATLANTIC COMBINE FAILURE. London, 23rd June.

The Cupard Steamship Company has withdrawn from the passenger rates agreement which it entered into with the At autic Mr. Pierpout Morgan's) Shipping Combine. Cupard Company gives as the ground of its withdrawal unfair treatment by the combine. The National Zeitung, of Berlin, declares that Mr. Pierpont Morgan's shipping trust is a

failure. There is no danger, the journal adds. of the Americanisation of German shipping.

London, 23rd June. The death is announced of Major Fond. the American lecture agent. He was aged 65

SERVIAN AFFAIRS.

London, 23rd June. It has transpired that when a gendarme was lifting the body of the late King Alexander into the coffin a superintending officer exclaimed anguily. " Look sharp; whuck the dog in any how. Trample him in if you like!" This officer had frequently been a favoured guest at King Alexander's table.

London, 23rd June. Servian officers at St. Petersburg are being treated with contuniely by the people of that capital. Some Servian officers who attended a performance at the Aquarium Theatre were pelted with missiles and compelled to leave. The indignation of the people of Russia against the people of Servin is greatly increasing.

King Charles of Roumania held the position of hone very colonel in the 6th Regiment of the Servinn Infantry. To mark his horror of the murders of King Alexander of Servia and Queen Draga and the Ministers he resigned his post. The officers of the regiment telegraphed acknowledging the receipt of his resignation and added that he was not competent to judge the deeds which he had condemned, as he, too. ascended his throne after the Roumanian troops had committed a breach of military faith. The officers stated, moreover, that the regiment would forego with pleasure the honour of bearing his name.

Phillide Lat'l June. Considerable suprise has teen caused by the fact that the German Emperor has just sent a most cordial message of congratulation to the

Adelaide, 1st July. King Peter has sent a notification to the ex-Queen Nathalie, mother of the late King, that everything in the Palace which belonged to her late son is now hers, and may be removed at her

The new King is so confident of his popularity with his uncertain subjects that he daily walks through the streets of Belgrade without

GERMAN EMPEROR RELYING UPON THE ARMY. London, 23rd June. At the teremony attending the unveiling of states to Frederick the Great at Doeberitz the German Emperor addressed the gathering. In the course of his speech he said : " My army will remain the instrument to support, if necessary, my policy. If my pen fails to conviews the people, then I shall look to the keen edge of the sword for support."

BOUTH AFRICAN LABOUR QUESTION. London, 23rd June.

Legislation is being prepared at Pretoria

the mines. The measure will provide for the reputriation of the Asiarics at the termination of the agreement which they may enter into. It is expec ed that this proposal will result in the mines being supplied with all the necessary labour at the end of the year.

PREFIRENTIAL TRADE.

London, 24th June. Mr. Harold John Tennant, M.P. (Liberal) for Berwickshire, disapproves of the attitude of members of the Opposition towards Mr. Chamberlain's preferential trade proposals. Mr. Tennant thinks that Mr. Chamberlain and The Mexican and American Commission to Mr. Balfour take a wider, a more practical, and a more statesmenlike view of the wants and wishes of the Empire than the leaders of the Opposition.

London, 26th June. The Glasgow Chamber of Commerce has ununimously carried a resolution welcoming the Archbishops of Canterbury and York. It enquiry into the fiscal question with a view of effirms the unlimited loyalty of the High drawing the commercial relations of the Empire Churchmon to the Church of England, closer. The Manchester Chamber of Commerce repudiating any desire to bring the English is willing to assist in the enquiry, believing conformity with Rome - that it will prove that any departure from freetrade will be prejudicial to British interests.

> THE MALTESE CONSTITUTION. London, 21th June.

Mr. Chamberlain, the Secretary of State REVOLUTIONARY FROCLAMATION IN RUSSIA. for the Colonies, has reimposed on Malta the Constitution of 1887, which a couple of years A revolutionary proclamation, which has been ago was superseded for a Constitution of a circulated in Odessa, Elizabet grad, and Kharkoff, more liberal character. The reason for the Southern Russia, warns the people of the retrogression is that the elected members of Empire to keep the example of the Slavs in the Legislative Council insisted on children the Balkans like a frontlet before their eyes if being taught Italian, while the Government they desire the liberation and the salvation of left the parents to choose either Italian or English as the language of their offspring.

ENGLAND V. AUSTRALIA AT CRICKET. London, 24th June. It is officially stated that the Marylebone Parisian newspapers state that the expedition Cricket Club is prepared to make itself

responsible for the visit of a team of English cricketers to Australia this year subject to conditions which will probably be accepted. The Times says that preparations for the visit of the team are far advanced, and that Mr. P. F. Warner (Oxford University, and Middlesex) will be the captain of a team of 15 members. The Marylebone Club enters of the United Kingdom has been presented to the scheme on sharing terms, paying the professionals and the expanses of the amateu 8.

THE " RAGGING " SCANDAL. London, 24th June.

At the Wellington barracks Court-martial the Judge Advocate, in summing up said that the only issues before the Court were those of stripping Mr. Stanford and exposing him, and of indecent usage, and that the authorities considered that in regard to the beating and the ducking of Mr. Stanford and the blasple-my France, and Germany, Leopold. King of the | he had obtained satisfaction when the Cape Courts awarded him £1,590. The officers i giving evidence denied that they had been guilty of indecency or blasphemy. They had punished Mr. Stanford for refusing to leave the ball when he was told to go. The Court returned a verdict of not guilty, and the officers had their ewords returned.

on sequittal, and cordemns as destardly the international thieves. vulgar brutality of the officers.

THE U.S. PRESIDENCY London, 24th June.

Mr. Grover Cleveland, who has held the position of President of the United States on two previous occasions, has announced that he has no wish to re-enter public life, and he does not approve of the movement to bring him forward as the Democratic candidate at the next Presidential election.

SOCIALISM IN GERMANY. London, 25th June.

the recent elections in Germany, fears that the the Court that Capt. Gardener had vainly social democrats may copy the example of Trade | endeavoured to persuade her to return to her Union tyrauny set in the British colonies, and parents. in this connection instancing New Zealand, New South Wales, and Victoria. The Cotogue Gazette warus the State to ex-reise great care to prevent labour obtaining an undue political CANALS IN FRANCE.

London, 25th June. The French Senate has approved of a scheme

involving an expenditure of 256,600,000f (£10 240,000) for the improvement of tea French ports and of canal. EVASION OF THE COAL TAX.

London, 25th June.

Mr. Bitchie, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, is devising means to prevent the evesion of the coal tax. It is estimated that half a million sterling is lost to the revenue annually because of the perpetration of frauds in connec ion with the shipment of coal. The practice has been to allow coal to be shipped for the use of a ressel on the voyage it is represented she is about to enter upon, the quantity shipped being according to the length of the voyage involved. Some tramp steamers are suspected of shipping coal under these conditions on the plea that they are proceeding to distant places, and, instead of using the coal, of selling it abroad

MASSACRE IN ARMENIA. London, 25th June. Kurds pillaged a monastery near Erzeroum. murderium six of the priests. They also pillaged a village and massacred a number of the principal residents. The troops did not attempt to in the neighbourhood were also similarly check the murderers:

COLOURED LABOUR ON MAIL STEAMERS. London, 26th June. Mr. Austen Chamberlain, Postmaster-General,

in replying to a question by Mr. Keir Hardie the House of Commons last night, sold that the Government was not propared to suggest to the owners of Australian mail boats the desirability of paying coolies and coloured seamen the same wages as are paid to white seamen. INTERNATIONAL PIGEON-SHOOTING.

Landon, 26th June. The International Cup, and the accompanying sweepstake, were shot off under the auspices of the Hurlingham Gun Club. Messrs. Cartels and C. J. Lane divided the sweepstake, which amounted to £449. Mr. Cartels was successful

A RUSSIAN IN TIBET. London, 26th June. The St. Petersburg Geographical Society has conferred special he nour upon M. Zybikoff, the

Russian explorer, who spent a year in Lhassa,

in the shoot for the cup.

Tibet, disguised as a lama. A SCITTIBH CANAL. London, 26th Jane. A syndicate has been formed to construct a ship canal between the Forth and the Clyde at

a cost of £10,000,000. [The existing Forth and Clyde Canal is 35 LIKE DAISIES BEFORE THE

SCYTHE. Baby lives are destroyed in summer by cholera

infantum. The attack of the disease is sudden its progress is semetimes terribly rapid. Mothers who have given their children Perry Davis' Painkiller can tell how this treatment which has for its object the indenturing of has checked the diarrhor and vomiting, and Asiatic who are to be employed exclusively in put the little mitient out of danger. (298-5

admits vessels of 8ft. 9in. draught, and if was | vessels not included in present programme. proposed some years age to supersede it by a canal espable of being used by ocean-going

CONTROL OF COASTAL TRADE. London, 26th June.

reservation of the constal trade of the Empire, Lord Wolverton said that the resolution practically affected. sussia and the United States a one. The question was so closely connected with the fiscal policy now under enquiry, that the Government must decline to make any acparate pronouncement at present The Marquis of Lansdowne, Foreign Secretary, said that this important question would not be lost eight of.

> THE EDUCATION ACT. London, 26th June.

Mr. A. J. Balfour, writing to a correspondent, vigorously denonneed "passive resisters" of the Education Act as conspirators against the cause of ordered freedom. The Board of Educations permit Nonconformiate hildren in the voluntary echools to be absent during the hour of religious teaching. The Nonconf rmists are arranging to give separate religious teaching to their children.

THE ACCESSION DECLARATION. London, 26th June.

Earl Grey's Bill to abolish the King's Accession Declaration on the ground that it is superfluous, hes been rejected by the House of Lords by 109 votes to 62. The Archbishop of Canterbury admitted that the declaration was needlessly off-nsive, but some guarantee from the Sovereign was still necessary. The Duke of Devoushire (Lord President of the Council) said that the Government was willing to rejutroduce the bill of 1911 if the Roman Catholics desired it. Lord Rossbery said he toped that the Government would not act without the complete co-operation of the Bishops and the Roman Catholic peers

The bill of 1901 was read the third time in the House of Lords. Its object was to remove expressions in the declaration offensive to Roman Catholics, but the delate that took place upon the measure showed that it did not meet with the wishes of either party, and it was dropped].

RISTOCKING THE TRANSVAAL. London, 26th June: Mr. S. A. Fisher, the Canadian Minister for

Agriculture, in replying to complaints by the leader of the Opposition in the Dominion Parliament, that Great Britain was restocking the Transvaal and Orange River colouies with United States cattle, stated that he had done all in his power to induce the parchase of (nuadian cattle.

Adelaide, 29th July. The Parisian police have just recovered a

GREAT FIND IN PARIS.

Most of the newspapers are surprised at the million france worth of booty on premises decision of the Court-martial. The Standard occupied by well-known anarchists in Paris, and says that the prisoners were fortunate to accure it is believed the head-quarters of a ging of RUMOURED PREBAGE FOR MBS. - CHAMBERLAIN.

> Adelarde, 30th June. It is ramoured that the wife of the Rt. Hou. J. Chamberlain is to be created a peeress in

> recognition of her services throughout the

recent South African tour. ABDUCTION CHARGE ABANDONED. Adelaide, 30th June. The charge against Captain Gurdener, a Victorian, accused of abducting a young girl from Cape Town, has been abandoned. The The Coloque Guzette, reading a lesson from case was heard in London, where the girl told

LORD TENNYSON'S SUCCESSOR.

Adelaide, 1st July. The name of Lord Lytton is mentioned as the probable sucres-sor to Lord Tennyson as Governor-General.

THE PACIFIC CABLE.

Adelaide, 1st July. The Pacific Cable Board of Directors announce that the guaranters will have to face a loss of £212,000 on the operations for the first

THE CURE OF CANCER. Adelaide, 6th July. The Society of Physicians at Vienna announce that they have received authentic reports from experts who claim to have cared one case of

cancer by the employment of radium rays. · ANARCHIST RUMOUR IN AUSTRALIA. Adelaide, 8th July, There is now stated to be no truth in a rumour that several noted anurchists had arrived at

Fremantle by the Darmstudt. ANTI-BEMITISM IN GERMANY.

Adelaide, 3rd July. Late cables describe wild scenes in Germany during the recent election excitement, At Strasbourg the Roman Catholics were enraged at the victory of the Socialistic candidates for the Reichstug that the mob attacked the shops in the Jewish quarter, storming the inhabitants and perpetrating many outrages. The Protestant shopsespers

MOTOR RECORDS.

Adelnide, 4th July. Record rates of speed have been put up in the motor race for the prizes offered by Mr. Gordon Bennett, the great New York newspaper proprietor. The first prize was won by a German named Zenatzy, who covered 3702 miles in 615 minutes. A Frenchman filled the second place, arriving at the goal ten minutes later. The maximum speed attained was eighty miles an hour.

BRITISH ARMY AND NAVY.

Aderaide, 6th July. In a recent manifesto issued by the War Office it is stated that the great distance of Australia from Great Britain prevents Australia being seriously regarded as an available source for the supply of remounts for the British

A resolution has been carried in the House of Commons defining the expenditure on the Navy during the next two years. The amount to be

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THE LATE POPE.

Adolaide, 6th July. Latest cables state that all hope of the Popo's recovery has been abandoned. When informed of the gravity of his situation the Pope Lord Muskerry, in the House of Lords last expressed a desire that the last sacrament night, urged legislation on the lines of the should be administered, and this was done in Colonial Conference set forth in the resolution | the presence of several of the more distinguished of the Colonial Conference providing for the Cardinals at present in Rome. On the conclusion of this solemn coromony the Pope bade those around farewell, and remarked-"I am going to eternity."

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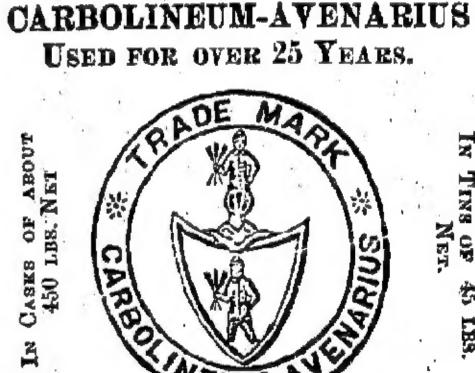
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DODWELL & CO., LIMITED, Agents. Hongkong, 18th July, 1903.

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Agents. Hongkong, 17th July, 1903. "BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

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Hongkong, 20th July, 1903. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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E. A. HEWETT. Superintendent. Hongkong, 17th July, 1903.

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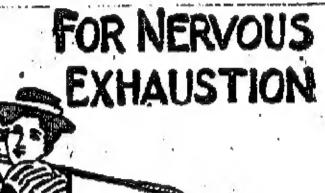
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Until further notice, the Western Branch Office will be closed, The Tonkin, with the French Mail of the 26th alt., left Singapore on Tuesday, the 21st inst., at Cam, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 28th inst. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 23rd May.

MAILS WILL CLOSE.

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THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The C.P.R. steumer Empress of China arrived at Kobe at 2 p.m. on the 21st inst., and left again at midnight same day, viz Nagasski, for Shanghai, where she is due to arrive at 1 a.m. on the 25th inst.

THE FRENCH MAIL. The M.M. steamer Tonkin left Eingapore FITHIS Hotel is situated in a quiet locality, on the 21st inst., at 6 a.m., for this port via

Saigon. THE INDIAN MAIL. The Indo-China steamer Nameang left Calcutta for this port, via the Straits, on the 11th

inst., and may be expected here on the 27th inst. THE AMERICAN MAILS. The O. & O. steamer Gaelic left. Yokohama for this port on the 17th inst., a.m., via Inland

Ses. &c. The T.K.K. steamer Hongkong Maru left San Francisco for this port, via Honolulu, &c., J. W. OSBORNE, on the 7th inst.

MERCHANT STEAMERS. The C.M. steamer Keemun left Moji on the 18th inst., p m., and is due here to-day. The C.N. steamer Taiyuan left Moji for this port on the 19th inst., and is due here to-day. The T.K. K. steamer Robit!a Maru left Manila on the 21st inst., p.m., and is expected here to-

day, about 2 p.m. The P. & O. steamer Candia left Singapore for this port on the 18th inst., at 11 a.m. The O.S.S. stanmer Hector left Singapore on

the 19th inst., a.m., and is due here to-morrow. The N.Y.K. steamer Tamba Maru (European Line) left Shanghai for this port on the 2!st inst., at 11 p.m., and is expected here to-morrow. The C.P.R. steamer Athenian arrived at Shaughai at noon on the 22nd inst., and left again at 7 p.m. same day for Hongkong, where she is due to arrive at 6 p.m. on the 25th inst. The N.P. steamer Victoria arrived at Yoko-

hamn on the 13th inst. The Boston Tow Bout Co.'s steamer Pleiades arrived at Kobs on the 15th inst.

The Boston Tow Boat Co.'s steamer Hyades arrived at Yokohama on the 15th inst. The E. & A. steamer Empire, from Sydney, &c., left Thursday Island on the 16th inst. for Manila and this port, and is due here on the 26th

The N.Y.K. steamer Kinshin Maru (Bombay Line) left Kobe via Moji for this port on the

21st inst., p.m., and is expected here on the 27th inst. The H.A.L. steamer Sithonia, from Hamburg.

left Singapore for this port on the 21st inst., at noon, and may be expected here on the 27th The steamer Borneo left Sandakan on the

21 st inst., p.m., and may be expected here on the 27th inst., a.m. The P. & A. steamer Indrapura left Portland (Or.) for this port, via Japan ports, on the 13th in Sets, Packets or Single. King Edward VII inst., and may be expected here on the 10th prox. The O.S.S. steamer Ajax left Victoria (B.C.)

on the 16th inst. for Japan and Hongkong.

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Per Tein m, from Australia, &c., Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Molinas, Mrs. Subana, Mrs. Kyburg, Miss Subane, Miss Ito, Dr. Thomas, Mrs. Jolles and infant, Messra. Jolles, Manning, Richards, Elzinger, Porrouand, Lowis, Ostrander, Irvine, Britten, Lightbody, Ross, Devitt, Ito, Gishiama, Gonichi, Ramos, J. Ramos, Barera, Sharp and Nishiuma.

DEPARTED. Per Hamburg, for Hamburg, &c., Mrs. Holz, Mrs. A. McLalland, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Locksmith, Capt. and Mrs. Monzell, Mr. and Mrs. E. Oltmans, Mr. and Mrs. Vogt, Misses E. Boulton, L. Budde, E. Huut and Jahn, Mr. Carl Hick and family, Mr. Erwin Muller and family. Dis. Harty and L. Jonker, Messre. J. v. d. Brock d'Obrenan, Clews, P. Cumliffe, Herbst, Bernard Dezentje, W. J. H. Hayzer and child, J. C. Le Cain, Madlung, A. K. Moosdeen, Z. Moriya, B. Ornstein, Charles A. Mutton, L. Pickel, P. van Rossum, J. W. R. Slangakeen, Wm. Sorley, L. C. Thye, Trobitius, Vallack, G. Wade Share, P. Wagner and child, J. Wally and child and

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